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Application No.: 09/753,722) Group Art Unit: 2815
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For: ELECTRON-EMITTING DEVICE AN METHOD OF MANUFACTURING TO SAME AND DISPLAY APPARATUS USING THE SAME	THE)

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Sir:

<u>UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)</u>

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counterpart foreign application. A copy of the Office Action, and an English language

translation thereof, is enclosed for the Examiner's consideration.

Copies of the non-U.S. Patent documents are enclosed. The relevance of the non-English

language documents may be ascertained from the respectively attached English-language

abstracts and the drawings respectively therein.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and

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